COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF BELLSOUTH BSE, INC.)
FOR AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE LOCAL) CASE NO. 97-417
EXCHANGE SERVICE)

ORDER

This matter arising upon the motion of the South Eastern Competitive Carriers Association ("SECCA") for full intervention, and it appearing to the Commission that SECCA has a special interest which is not otherwise adequately represented, and that such intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings, and this Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The motion of SECCA to intervene is granted.
- 2. SECCA shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.
- 3. Should SECCA file documents of any kind with the Commission in the course of these proceedings, it shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27th day of January, 1998.

ATTEST:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

For the Commission